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Tempo di Valse. (Moderato.)

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PIANO.



1. When wine is flowing — Drink to the vine — While
 2. When wine is flowing — Ru - bies bright gleam, — Oil
 3. Song, wine and woman, — Sa - ges a - gree, — Light -

The first three lines of the song are set to music. Each line has a vocal melody on a single staff and a piano accompaniment on two staves. The piano part features a consistent eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

grapes are growing — Cease to re - pine — Love light is
 on the waters — Of Life's dark stream, — Calm - ing the
 en the trip to — The Styx... ah mel — Pledge thee fair

The next three lines of the song continue the musical pattern. The vocal melody and piano accompaniment are clearly defined for each line.

brewing — In dark eyes that shine — Prove my un - do - ing —
 bil - lows, — Thetides ebb and flow, — Pass me the goblet —
 maiden — Whose lips touch mine, — Light as a zepher —

The final three lines of the song conclude the piece. The musical notation follows the same structure as the previous lines, with a vocal line and piano accompaniment.

CHORUS.

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Then pass up the wine. — Give me good wine and spark - ling,
That drowns all — woe. —
And sweet - er than wine. —

Give me a song that's gay — Give me a life that is free from care, Long as I

have to stay — Fighters may take the glo - ry And can-di-dates ga-

ther the fame — I'll take a Farce, a lass, and a glass, That's if it's all the same.

